

## Message Text

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E.O. 11652: N/A

SUBJECT: PARTIAL IV GRANTEE: GOVERNOR-GENERAL SIR  
TORE LOKOLOKO

REF: PORT MORESBY 1185

1. WE NOMINATE THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL OF PAPUA NEW GUINEA,  
SIR TORE LOKOLOKO, FOR PARTIAL IV GRANT DURING HIS VISIT  
TO THE UNITED STATES, SEPTEMBER 20-29 (NOTE: SEE REFTTEL  
FOR COMPLETE ITINERARY). PROPOSE THAT GRANT INCLUDE  
PROVISION FOR ESCORT TO MEET THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL AND HIS  
PARTY IN NEW YORK ON SEPTEMBER 23 WITH LIMOUSINE AND  
ACCOMPANY THEM UNTIL THEY DEPART SAN FRANCISCO, SEPTEMBER 29.  
NO PER DIEM OR DOMESTIC TRAVEL EXPENSES NEED BE PROVIDED,  
BUT DO REQUEST THAT LIMOUSINE BE AVAILABLE AT EACH STOP.  
GPNG WILL PAY FOR SECOND LIMOUSINE TO CARRY OTHERS IN  
GOVERNOR-GENERAL'S PARTY.

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2. THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL WAS BORN SEPTEMBER 21, 1930  
IN IOKEA VILLAGE OF THE GULF PROVINCE. HE AND HIS  
WIFE, LADY LALAHAI, HAVE TEN CHILDREN. SIR TORE WAS  
ELECTED TO THE HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY IN 1968 FOLLOWING  
FIFTEEN YEARS OF SERVICE IN THE COOPERATIVES SECTION,  
DEPARTMENT OF TRADE AND INDUSTRY. HE WAS REELECTED IN  
1972 AND, FOLLOWING THE RESIGNATION OF GOVERNOR-GENERAL

SIR JOHN GUISE IN FEBRUARY 1977, HE WAS NOMINATED BY HIS PARLIAMENTARY COLLEAGUES TO HIS CURRENT POSITION. HE WAS SWORN INTO OFFICE ON MARCH 1, 1977. WHILE SERVING AS A MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT, HE WAS IN THE UNITED PARTY.

3. SIR TORE IS CONSERVATIVE, DIGNIFIED MAN WITH NO INTELLECTUAL PRETENSIONS. HE OCCASIONALLY DRINKS TOO MUCH IN PUBLIC, BUT HAS NEVER EMBARRASSED HIMSELF OR Demeaned his office. HE APPEARS TO LIKE AMERICANS AND TO RESPECT THE USG. A SUCCESSFUL VISIT TO THE UNITED STATES WOULD, OF COURSE, REINFORCE THOSE OPINIONS.

4. PLEASE CONFIRM ACCEPTABILITY OF GRANT AND ADVISE COST TO POST SOONEST.  
ALBERT

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